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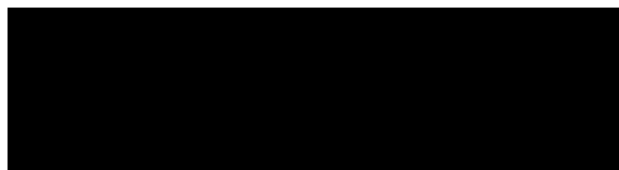
UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT: Draft Minutes of the 16 May Special Intelligence  
Board Meeting

The attached draft minutes of the 16 May Special Intelligence  
Board meeting will be considered at the next regular Board meeting.

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Attachment

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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

Minutes of  
Four-hundred-seventy-fifth Meeting  
United States Intelligence Board  
USIB Conference Room  
Central Intelligence Agency, at 1600 hours, 16 May 1967

Director of Central Intelligence  
Richard Helms  
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Vice Admiral Rufus Taylor, Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
Mr. George C. Denney, Jr., acting for Director of Intelligence and  
Research, Department of State

25X1A [REDACTED] acting for Director, Defense  
Intelligence Agency

25X1A [REDACTED] acting for Director, National Security Agency  
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, acting for Atomic Energy Commission  
representative to USIB

Mr. William O. Cregar, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation  
representative to USIB

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1. Report by Nuclear Intelligence  
Panel on the Chinese Communist  
Atomic Energy Program

Mr. Helms welcomed the members of the Panel\* to the USIB and expressed his pleasure that they could appear before this special meeting of the Board. The Chairman then turned the meeting over to the Panel Chairman, Mr. Roddis, who introduced the Panel members to the Board, and expressed his regrets that Dr. Bethe and Mr. Finger were unable to attend the meeting.

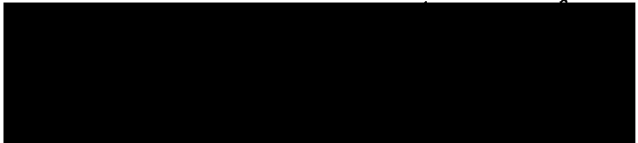
Mr. Roddis then orally presented a statement of the major points which the Panel was covering in its report on the Chinese Communist atomic energy program. At the conclusion of the summary statement the meeting was opened to Board discussion and questions of the Panel members. \*\*

Mr. Helms concluded the discussion on this subject by thanking the Panel members, on behalf of the Board, for their most useful analysis of this vital subject.

2. Executive Session

At 1620 the Chairman convened the Board in a brief Executive Session.

Adjournment: 1625

  
Executive Secretary

\*A list of the Panel members is attached to these minutes as an annex.  
\*\*A record of the Panel's report and discussion with the Board is being prepared and will be circulated by limited distribution at an early date as USIB-D-32, 13/6.

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